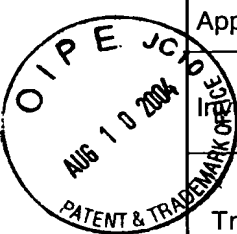


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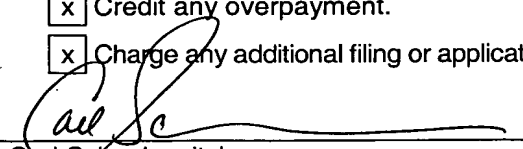
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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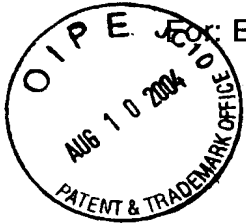
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I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated June 28, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1-10 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claims 1 and 6 are amended.

Applicants expressed their appreciation for the Examiner's indication of allowable subject matter in claims 6-8. Claim 6 is amended in independent form and is therefore in condition for allowance. Claims 7 and 8 depend from claim 6 and are therefore also in condition for allowance.

II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

(There are no amendments to the drawings)

III. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

(There are no amendments to the specification)